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1. Response Under 37 CFR 1.111 to Office Action Mailed May 15, 2002, Declaration of Walter Funk. Under 35 U.S.C. 1.132, Exhibit 1 and Exhibit 2.
2. Information Disclosure Statement, PTO Form 1449, and references.
3. Request for Extension of Time. Under 37 CFR 1.136(a).

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees due or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501169. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed.

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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE UNDER
37 CFR § 1.111 TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED FEBRUARY 27, 2002 WITH
DECLARATION OF WALTER FUNK, Ph.D. UNDER 35 U.S.C. § 1.132
AND PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

This is in response to the Office Action mailed February 27, 2002. Please consider this paper, the Declaration of Walter Funk, Ph.D. under 35 U.S.C. § 1.132 and a Petition for a 2-month Extension of Time. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the requisite extension fee to Deposit Account No. 50-0311. Please charge any additional fees necessary in connection with this paper to Deposit Account No. 50-0311.

In the Office Action, the Examiner rejected claims 10, 11, 20, 30, and 31 under 35 U.S.C. §§ 101 and 112. Applicants respectfully request reconsideration in light of the following amendments and remarks.